



THE STATE OF UTAH
OFFICE OF STATE ENGINEER
SALT LAKE CITY

WAYNE D. CRIDDLE
STATE ENGINEER

Memorandum
To - Donald C. Norseth
From - R.F. Guy - Area Engineer
Subject - Matt Warner Reservoir-Pot Creek
Date - May 6, 1962

At the request of Mr. Zelph Calder, Dave Rasmussen, Pot Creek Water Commissioner, and Robert F. Guy, Area Engineer, started a release of water from the Matt Warner Reservoir. The purpose of this release is to lower the water level of the reservoir down to spillway level (water is at present flowing over the spillway). The water level of the reservoir would then be regulated by the lower reservoir gate so as to prevent water from flowing over the spillway.

Mr. Calder does not want water flowing over the spillway as he plans to plant fish in the reservoir and fears that there would be a substantial loss of fish over the spillway.

The amount of water being released could not be determined as the partial flume below the reservoir was washed out during the heavy spring runoff.

Mr. Calder was informed verbally that he would be responsible for any over release and also due to the fact that he has no recorded right to raise fish, that he would have to assume the risk in the event that the fish were endangered due to releases to other rights.

On this date the sloping reservoir gauge read 107.8 giving a capacity of 2900 acre feet.